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The Berry-Ball Dry Goods Co.

FEBRUARY BARGAIN DAY FRIDAY THIS WEEK

At this time we shall clean up Ends from our Big Sale, preparatory to invoicing this month.

LADIES' SUITS, every one new this season, made in Poplin, Serge, Gabardine, and a few Mixtures. These Suits are good for early spring wear. Colors, Navy, Brown, Green and Black, many of these suits are large sizes to 44. Reg. price to \$22.50. **BARGAIN DAY \$9.25**

LADIES' COATS made in All Wool Diagonal Cloth 52 in. long, convertible collar and plain coat collar. Colors Black and Navy. These Coats are between sizes made for short waisted full hip women. Reg. price \$12.50. **BARGAIN DAY \$4.75**

CLOTH COATS. Our better Coats, Plain Cloths and Mixtures, Fur Trimmed, Plush and Velvet Trimmed. The high grade Coats of the season. Values to \$25.00. **BARGAIN DAY \$10.75**

SILK PETTICOATS, nearly all colors, "Smooth Set" top, deep flounce, fine quality messaline. Reg. price \$3.75. **BARGAIN DAY \$1.90**

SILK WAISTS, all new this season, made in Plain Colors, Checks and Stripes in Pussy-willow Taffeta, Crepe de Chine and Chiffon, in colors, Navy, Brown, Green, Belgian and Black. Reg. price up to \$5.50. **BARGAIN DAY \$2.75**

MIDDY BLOUSES made in Plain White, also with Red and Copen. Collars, high and low neck, sizes 10 years to 36 size. Reg. price up to \$1.50. **BARGAIN DAY 75c**

FLANNELETTE NIGHT ROBES, White and Colors. Reg. price to \$1.75. **BARGAIN DAY 75c**

DINNER WARE. A Stock Pattern which we are to close out, these prices are shown:
Water Jug, gal. size 25c ea. Fruit Saucers 28c doz.
Tea Plates 50c doz. Platters 24c ea.
Good for church vestries. To close HALF PRICE.

Last chance to buy **WHITTALL RUGS** at a Discount.
Brussels, 9' x 12' \$35.00 **BARGAIN DAY \$27.**
Brussels, 8' 3" x 10' 6" \$31.50 **BARGAIN DAY 25.**
Brussels, 6' x 9' \$21.50 **BARGAIN DAY 17.**
Royal Worcester Wilton
9' x 12' Reg. price \$48. **BARGAIN DAY \$38.**
8' 3" x 10' 6" Reg. price \$43.50. **BARGAIN DAY 34.**
6' x 9' Reg. price \$29.75. **BARGAIN DAY 25.**

DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT

- 1 LOT COTTON CREPES (Figured) 32 in. wide. Reg. price 18c. **BARGAIN DAY 12c yd.**
- 1 LOT COTTON RATINE CREPE, 27 in. wide, White with Colored stripe. Reg. price 38 and 40c. **BARGAIN DAY 16c yd.**
- 1 PIECE BLACK ALL WOOL FLANNEL, 27 in. wide, Reg. price 60c. **BARGAIN DAY 38c**
- THREE PIECES FANCY IMPORTED SCrim, 44 in. wide, Colors, Cream and Arabian. Formerly sold for 75c. **BARGAIN DAY 15c**
- 1 LOT LADIES' WOOL GLOVES. Reg. Price 75c. **SALE PRICE 59c**
- 1 LOT LADIES' 25c COTTON HOSE, sizes 8 1/2 and 9. Reg. price 25c. **BARGAIN DAY 15c**
- 1 LOT NIAD DRESS SHIELDS. Reg. price 25c. **BARGAIN DAY 16c pr.**
- REMNANT SALE.** After our Clearance Sale we put all our short lengths into Remnants. You will find a lot of Good Bargains now on Sale at Reduced Prices. Call and look our Remnants over and save money.

CLOTHING DEPARTMENT

- Final Clean Up On Men's Suits And Coats**
- MEN'S SUITS.** Reg. prices \$15.00, 16.00, and 17.00. **BARGAIN DAY \$10.75**
- MEN'S OVERCOATS.** Reg. prices \$15.00, 16.50 and 18.00. **BARGAIN DAY \$9.75**
- 1 LOT MEN'S \$1.00 SHIRTS. **BARGAIN DAY 65c**
- 1 LOT LADIES' AND GENTS' PHOENIX MUFFLERS. Reg. prices 25 and 50c. **BARGAIN DAY 17c**
- 1 LOT BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S TOQUES. Regular prices 25 and 50c. **BARGAIN DAY 14c**

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FRATERNAL MEETINGS
Passumpsic Lodge, No. 27, F. & A. M.
Regular Communication Thursday evening, February 17.
DAVID E. COLE, Secretary.
Hawesell Royal Arch Chapter, No. 11.
Stated Convocation Friday evening, February 18.
RAYMOND A. PEARL, E. H. P.
FRED G. MOORE, Secretary.

The Museum of Natural Science.
Open week days 9-12 A. M., 1-4 P. M.
Sundays 2:30 to 5 P. M.
All visitors welcomed.
St. Johnsbury Athenaeum.
LIBRARY READING ROOM ART GALLERY
9 o'clock to 9 o'clock each week day, Wednesday evening excepted.
8 o'clock to 5 o'clock Sundays.
All are invited.

LOCAL NOTICES
(Notices will be inserted in this column in reading matter type at the rate of ten cents a line for the first insertion and five cents a line for subsequent insertions of the same copy.)
Fish chowder supper at the First Baptist church, Railroad street, Friday, Feb. 4, from 5:30 until 8. Menu: Fishchowder, baked beans, rolls, pies, doughnuts and coffee. Price 20c.
Greatest Bargain Day Special ever offered at Seales Drug Store. \$2.30 Regular Price, only 89c Friday. Call and investigate.
Farms and houses for sale. C. E. KIRK.
Goodrich Special Sack Suits \$27.50. Made in St. Johnsbury.

T. F. BOURBOURGHS
The well-known violinist, is ready to take advanced scholars of at least two years training, beginning Jan. 22. For terms apply by telephone, 154-4.
Auto Renewal outfit—First Coater, Finishing Coater, Brass Polish, Cushion and Top Dressing, Aluminum Paint, Lamp Enamel, Two Varnishing Brushes, Aluminum Paint Brush, Package of Steel Wool, Two Sheets Sandpaper, \$4.00. **THE PECK COMPANY, 21 Eastern Ave.**
HOUSEHOLD SCALE for the housewife to check up her purchases. Capacity, 10 lbs. Made to sell for \$4.00. We sell them while they last for \$2.50. **THE PECK COMPANY, 21 Eastern Ave.**
Fairbanks Coffee, sold by A. H. Gleason, 73 Main street.

If you are weak, tired and all run down, get a bottle of Seales' Hypophosphites. It will make you feel like a new person. Regular \$1.00 size only 79c.
If you need a monument or any lettering done in cemetery write or call 534-M, J. E. Walker.

HOUNDS MANGLED DOE
Deer Killed Within the Village Limits Sunday Afternoon.

A large doe caught in a wire fence was so badly torn and mangled by four hounds Sunday afternoon that it was killed by C. L. Harpham and Ferdinand Townsend to put it out of its misery. The deer was caught on the ridge west of the knob and was probably the first deer to be killed within the village limits since the village was incorporated.
The two men were going up on the knob to enjoy their skis and were attracted by the frenzied conditions of the hounds which ran over the rise out of sight and rushed back with blood and flesh around their mouths. The men followed them and found a doe that had tried to jump through an opening in the fence with its body drawn through to its hips where it was unable to move either way. The hounds had torn the hind quarters nearly to pieces and the killing of it was an act of mercy.

Mr. Robie Not A Candidate.
W. H. H. Robie, who has been confined to the house for several months by illness, has been asked by many people if he was to be a candidate for re-election as overseer of the poor, and announced that owing to his physical condition he would not be.
Mr. Robie for the past twelve years has served very faithfully and efficiently as overseer of the poor, and, without doubt, understands the conditions among the poor people of the town better than any other man, but owing to his illness is unable to accept the office for another year. Everyone regrets that this is necessary, as they feel that if he was able to perform the duties of the office, no one else could equal Robie.

YOU CAN'T TRUST FEBRUARY AND MARCH—THEY ARE A TREACHEROUS PAIR.

The only safe way is to have as good a supply of Coal on hand as you can possibly get. I would order it today at least.

CELEBRATED LACKMANN FINE FOUR GEORGE MOORE 26 EASTERN AVE.

BIG SCALE MERGER

The Fairbanks, Morse & Co., Propose To Take Stock of E. and T. Fairbanks and Co.

A business deal which may involve a million and a half dollars was announced last week when a circular was issued to the stock holders of E. and T. Fairbanks and Co. offering to give them three shares of the six percent Cumulative Preferred stock of Fairbanks, Morse & Co. for each share of the outstanding stock of the E. & T. Fairbanks and Company. This means if the offer is accepted the merging of the two companies and the combining of the manufacture and selling departments of the scale business under one management which it is expected will greatly benefit both departments.

The circular containing the offer also says: "If such an exchange of stock be consummated, it is the intention and expectation of the Company to continue at St. Johnsbury the manufacture of scales and other articles, and it will be the aim and effort of this Company to make a material increase in the outputs there."

The fact the present management has expended such large sums in improvements of the plant makes the removal of the plant impractical at present and the promise of the new company to make material increase here shows that St. Johnsbury will not be deserted by the new concern.

The Fairbanks, Morse and Co. has been in business over 40 years, has its main office located in the city of Chicago, Ill., with branch houses in every center of importance in the United States, in London, England, and in Buenos Ayres, South America, with its manufacturing plant at Beloit, Wis., employing over 2000 men. It is not expected there will be any change in the local management at present and the business will be conducted along the same lines as in the past, except that it will be on a larger scale.

IN COUNTY COURT

William Naigle Charged With Assault And Intent to Kill. On Trial.

County court resumed its session Tuesday morning when the case of State vs. William Naigle, who is charged with assault with intent to kill, was taken up and the jury was quickly secured and the testimony begun.

Mrs. Naigle alleges that her husband had assaulted her and threatened to kill her and told a rather startling story in the court room. It is expected that the case will be of short duration and two or three other criminal cases will be taken up after that and complete the work of the December term.

How Do You Like It?

Some folks consider an Insurance Agent a nuisance. They allow if they want any Insurance, they can go after it, but they seldom do this.

I write all kinds of Insurance and am glad to do it, but I do not personally solicit business from any one. Should be glad to have you call at my office, where I can show you more intelligently, just what I can do for you, or will call on you upon request, either by Phone, 374-1, or by card. I claim to have the very best of all kinds and cheaper than many companies.

CHAS. S. HASTINGS, Agent
Over the Old Post Office for Last 38 Years
St. Johnsbury, Vermont

SAVE FOR A HOME

EVERY man or woman has planned at sometime to own their home. With a roof over your own head that you have paid for yourself and over which there is absolutely no indebtedness you will enjoy more real happiness than you have ever experienced before.

The problem of buying a home is difficult. The problems in buying a home are very many even after you have selected the house and know the amount of money that you can afford to pay. One thing is sure. The most satisfactory way to purchase a piece of property is to pay the cash. With the aid of the new \$100.00 Installment Books being put out by the Passumpsic Savings Bank you can systematically plan to own your own home and lot by taking out enough books to cover the amount you want to invest in a home. Think this over and drop into the Bank as soon as possible.

Passumpsic Savings Bank

St. Johnsbury, Vermont

FARMERS MEETING

Caledonia County Association Elects Officers and Hears Some Practical Addresses.

The annual meeting of the Caledonia County Farmers association was held in Pythian hall yesterday with a very good attendance, good interest shown and some very able and interesting addresses. A short session was held in the forenoon, a free lunch served in the hall and the business speaking came in the afternoon. The officers for the coming year are: President, W. P. Russell of Kirby. Vice-president, E. G. Bridgeman of Hardwick. Treasurer, J. W. Titcomb of Lyndonville.

Secretary, Harvey A. Burbank of East Barnet. Executive committee, Asa Sargeant of Danville, J. R. Moore of East Barnet, W. A. Simpson of Lyndon, E. H. Hallett of St. Johnsbury Center, A. F. Stoddard of Sutton, J. J. Lenton of Waterford and F. G. Shaw of Peacham.

The meeting was called together at 11:40 in Pythian hall by the president of the association, W. P. Russell of Kirby. Secretary Harvey Burbank gave his report stating that the secretary has nothing to do with the money furnished by the government or coming from the towns in the county in connection with his work. He reported dues and subscriptions of \$406.22, for spraying \$76.25, cash on hand \$18.70 and contribution from T. N. Vail \$293.00. He suggested that E. A. Darling, who has paid \$100.00, and T. N. Vail, who has contributed \$200, should be officially recognized by the club.

There must be at least 200 members of the association in good standing in order to get the money from the towns under the state law, so he suggested that any man contributing more than the regular dues of \$1.00 put in the name of other members of his family for membership in the association.

He thought there should be a definite term for the dues the same as lodges have and that the by-laws of the association should be amended to allow it. He reported the members by towns as follows: Barnet 36, Burke 20, Danville 27, Concord 2, Groton 3, Hardwick 7, Kirby 6, Lyndon 36, Newark 1, Peacham 25, Ryegate 27, St. Johnsbury 46, Sheffield 8, Stannard 6, Sutton 9, Waitsen 16, Waterford 11, Wheelock 2, Cabot 3, Greensboro 1, Newbury 3, Cambridge, Mass., 1, Victory 1, a total of 291 members in good standing. His report was accepted and placed on file.

J. W. Titcomb, the treasurer, reported receipts of cash on hand \$15.78, membership and dues \$609.32, for spraying \$76.25, borrowed money \$200.00, from towns \$1,162.92, and

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FEATURE PROGRAM FEBRUARY 2 TO 9

Wednesday, "The Girl of Yesterday." Featurng Mary Pickford.
Thursday, "The Reproach of Annesley." All Star Cast.
Friday, "Soul of Broadway." Featurng Velasca Suratt.
Saturday, "Gretna Green." Featurng Marguerite Clark.
Monday, "The White Pearl." Featurng Marie Doro.
Tuesday, "The Tides of Retribution." All Star Cast.
"The Broken Coin." Featurng Grace Cunard.

THE GLOBE THEATRE

there is still due from the town of Peacham \$37.03, making a total of \$2,064.22. The expenses were for salary \$416.65, office expenses \$142.36, clerk \$23.65, postage \$30.99, telephone and telegraph \$40.89, auto and maintenance \$462.03, hotel and traveling expenses \$206.62, miscellaneous \$5.00, loan and interest \$201.00, spraying material \$56.64, cash on hand \$373.41, total \$1,560.32.
He said that the total expenses for a year averaged about \$2,300.00, but they had not been quite so large for the past few months as under the former management. This leaves about \$900.00 to be provided for by dues and subscriptions. There was money enough in the treasury at the present time to run the organization for two or three months.
County Agent Wood then gave his report which he said was necessarily brief and incomplete as he had been connected with the station for only four months. He spoke of the spraying demonstrations on oats for killing (Continued on page four.)

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